

BART'W DELAPIERRE.

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Mr. CHILTON, from the Committee on Military Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

The papers in this case show that Bartholomew Delapierre was a volunteer, and acted as an Aid to General Peter B. Porter, in the late war, at the sortie of Fort Erie, on the 17th of September, 1814.

General Porter states that he behaved with great gallantry, and received a severe wound. Major George Howard, then a Major of the United States' army, says that Delapierre behaved in a very gallant manner, and received a severe wound from a bayonet. W. F. Piat, physician and surgeon, Benton W. Halsey, then surgeon's mate 15th United States' infantry, and Alexander H. Stevens, M. D. swear that the wound was a severe one, on the left thigh, above the knee, and the effect would continue and increase through life. They also state, from good authority, that Delapierre behaved bravely and magnanimously. The Recorder of the city of New York certifies as to the high standing of the physician and surgeon. Delapierre had not received any pay for services, as shown by him. It is also proved, by the oaths of others, that he is in indigent circumstances. The committee think him entitled to relief, and therefore report a bill for his benefit.

